

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION IN AN APPLICATION (PTO-1449)		ATTY. DOCKET NO. IPA-010		U.S. APPLICATION NO. 6,738,507			
		APPLICANT Syoji SHIRAI et al.					
		FILING DATE herewith		GROUP			
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
EXAMINER'S INITIALS	PATENT NO.	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE	
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
EXAMINER'S INITIALS	PATENT NO.	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	Translation	
						Yes	No
	2001-3220 A	01/09/2001	JP			abstract	
	63-89924 U	06/10/1988	JP				
	10-195708 A	07/28/1998	JP			abstract	
	10-331021 A	12/15/1998	JP				
	63-175125 U	11/14/1988	JP				
	2-61931 U	05/09/1990	JP				
	59-113325 U	07/31/1984	JP				
OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)							
EXAMINER	/Andrew W. Sutton/			DATE CONSIDERED	03/29/2008		

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to Applicant.

ALL REFERENCES CONSIDERED EXCEPT WHERE LINED THROUGH. /AWS/